



**ELECTION CALENDAR  
CITY OF LAKE JACKSON  
GENERAL ELECTION  
MAY 14, 2011**



<b>February 14</b>	<b>First day for filing application for place on ballot. City offices open at 8:00 a.m. on February 14, 2011.</b>
<b>February 14</b>	<b>First day for filing declaration of write-in candidacy. City offices open at 8:00 a.m. on February 14, 2011.</b>
<b>March 14</b>	<b>Last day for filing application for place on ballot. (5:00 p.m. deadline)</b>
<b>March 15</b>	<b>First day to submit applications for voting by mail ballot. (Submit to County)</b>
<b>March 16</b>	<b>City Secretary conducts drawing for order of names on ballot at 5:01 p.m. in City Council Chambers of Lake Jackson City Hall, 25 Oak Drive, Lake Jackson Texas</b>
<b>March 21</b>	<b>Last day for a write-in candidate to declare candidacy. (5:00 p.m. deadline)</b>
<b>March 22</b>	<b>Last day for candidate to withdraw. (5:00 p.m. deadline) Last day that declaration of ineligibility causes omission of candidate's name from the ballot.</b>
<b>April 14</b>	<b>Due date for filing the first report of campaign contributions and expenditures by opposed candidates and specific-purpose committees supporting or opposing opposed candidates with the City Secretary. (City Secretary's Office is open until 5:00 p.m.)</b>
<b>April 14</b>	<b>Last day for submitting voter registration application in time to vote in the May 8, 2010, election.</b>
<b>May 2</b>	<b>First day of early voting by personal appearance.</b>
<b>May 6</b>	<b>Due date for filing with City Secretary second report of campaign contributions and expenditures. (City Secretary's Office is open until 5:00 p.m.)</b>

<b>May 6</b>	<b>Last day to submit application for ballot by mail. (Submit to County before close of business)</b>
<b>May 10</b>	<b>Last day of regular early voting by personal appearance</b>
<b>May 14</b>	<b>Election Day (Polls open 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.)</b>
<b>May 23</b>	<b>TENTATIVE DATE FOR Canvassing of votes at Regular Scheduled City Council Meeting (Period for official canvass May 17-25, 2011)</b>
<b>June 25</b>	<b>Possible runoff election date.</b>
<b>July 15</b>	<b>Last day for timely filing with City Secretary of semiannual report of contributions and expenditures.</b>